



Important Dates:

Date	Who	Detail, Timing and Venue
December		
Fri 12th	School & PS	3.00-5.00pm All parents/families welcome to join us for our FOEBS Christmas fayre.
Mon 15th	Pre-School	2.00pm – Pre-School Christmas party.
Tues 16th	Everyone	Whole School Christmas lunch – book on MCAS. £1.25 additional charge to pay separately- see below. 2.00pm – Nativity in school hall
Weds 17th	Everyone	9.30am – Nativity in school hall 5.00pm – Safeguarding refresher training for volunteers at the Wessex Trust HQ in Cheddar.
Thurs 18th	Everyone	9.15am – Carol service in the church -All welcome to attend

Nativity: Thank you for those that have signed up on MCAS for tickets. Tickets have now been sent home in book bags. Just a reminder that the Tuesday performance is at the slightly earlier time of 2pm.



Christmas Jumper Day – Thank you to everyone who has donated. If you still wish to donate, please click on the link below. This very worthy charity supports fabulous work around mental health and wellbeing for children and young people.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/eastbrentcofeacademy?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL

Lunches- the menu for January is now available to book on MCAS, lunches for the first week back in January need to be ordered by midnight Tuesday 16th December. If you have not ordered lunches by then you will need to provide a packed lunch for the first week back.

The school Christmas dinner is next Tuesday, the cost of this is substantially more money than usual and so please go into your My Child at School under Trips/clubs to pay the extra £1.25 above baseline if you have ordered your child a Christmas dinner. Many thanks for your support and cooperation.

Wind band Performance – Back in the summer we had a visit from Cadbury Wind Band. They are going to be playing at Sanders Garden Centre this Sunday from 11am-1pm in the restaurant area if anyone is interested in popping along. They will be playing a variety of Christmas carols and popular tunes.

Wessex Learning Trust Admission Arrangements for Somerset Schools (2027/28) Consultation

The Wessex Learning Trust are consulting on their 2027/28 admission arrangements. It is statutory to consult every 7 years or when a change is made. To view and comment on the arrangements please click here <https://somersetcouncil.citizenspace.com/childrens-services/2027-arrangements>

Our consultation will start on 1 December 2025 and end on 19 January 2026 and the final determined arrangements will be published on the Trust and our School website by 15 March 2026.

Useful Information

Further information can be found on our website: www.eastbrentcofeacademy.co.uk

Our values
'Peace, Endurance, Aspiration, Respect, Love & Service'

Our Christian Value this term
'Endurance'

Safeguarding
Safeguarding children is everyone's responsibility. If you are worried about a child, please email office@eastbrentcofeacademy.co.uk
Designated Safeguarding Lead: Katie Whiting

Reporting Absence
If your child is feeling unwell, please contact the school office on 01278 760490 or email using the school email address: - office@eastbrentcofeacademy.co.uk

Current Job Vacancies within WLT
Please visit the Wessex Learning Trust website for all current vacancies [HERE](#)

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Attendance Round up
Ladybird Class: 97.5%
Bumblebee Class: 96.4%
Dragonfly Class: 96.2%

